



**June 11, 2014**

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### **QUOTE OF THE DAY**

"Everything has its beauty but not everyone sees it." – Confucious

"To look backward for a while is to refresh the eye, to restore it, and to render it more fit for its prime function of looking forward." – Margaret Fairless Barber

"By failing to prepare, you are preparing to fail." - Benjamin Franklin

"Using words to describe magic is like using a screwdriver to cut roast beef." – Tom Robbins

### **VIDEO OF THE DAY**

[Student flash mob surprises retiring Clintonville principal](#)  
*FOX 11 Online | WLUK-TV*

[Fractalia by Owen Clayton Condon, performed by Third Coast Percussion](#)  
*YouTube (hat tip Tom Strini Writes)*

*Wisconsin artists and arts organizations, do you have video that you'd like us to consider sharing as the Wisconsin Arts News Video of the Day? Send the link to [artsboard@wisconsin.gov](mailto:artsboard@wisconsin.gov)!*

# TOP WISCONSIN NEWS

## FROM THE WISCONSIN ARTS BOARD

### **NEW** [Wisconsin Arts Board Fans the Flames of Creativity](#)

*Wisconsin People and Ideas | Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts, and Letters*

### **NEW** [2014 BCA 10](#)

*Business Committee for the Arts | Americans for the Arts*

The Wisconsin Arts Board congratulates Thrivent Financial of Appleton for having been named to the 2014 BCA 10.

### **NEW** [Save the Date: Small Town Downtown Forums](#)

*Wisconsin Downtown Action Council*

<b>August 14</b>	<a href="#"><u>Potosi, Grant County</u></a>
<b>August 26</b>	<a href="#"><u>Coloma, Waushara County</u></a>
<b>September 10</b>	<a href="#"><u>Grantsburg, Burnett County</u></a>
<b>September 12</b>	<a href="#"><u>Mellen, Ashland County</u></a>

### **NEW** [2014 National Conference - a2ru](#)

*The Alliance for the Arts in Research Universities (a2ru)*

**November 5 - 8**

### [North Woods & Waters of the St. Croix National Heritage Area Feasibility Study](#)

*Heritage Initiative*

**Comment through June 30**

### [Digital Projects for the Public](#)

*National Endowment for the Humanities*

**Deadline: June 11**

### [Midwest Arts and Aging Conference](#)

*ArtSage Minnesota*

**June 20**

### [Champion Creatively Alive Children | Creative Leadership Grants 2014](#)

*Crayola.com*

**June 23**

### [Create Change: Transforming Care for Elders Through Creative Engagement](#)

*UWM School of Continuing Education*

**June 23 – 25**

### [Flying Car 2014](#)

*MiKE (Innovation in Milwaukee)*

**June 25 – 27**

Also

[Business: The Return of Flying Car](#)

*Urban Milwaukee*

**June 25 - 27**

[Request for Proposals - Artist-Built Benches](#)

*City of Stevens Point*

**Deadline: June 26**

[Call for Artwork :: Yo soy...Je suis...I am...](#)

*VSA | The Kennedy Center*

**July 14**

[Come Join Us July 19 - 23 | School of the Arts at Rhinelander](#)

*UW-Madison Continuing Studies*

**July 19 – 23**

[2014 National Forum](#)

*Arts Education Partnership*

**September 11 - 12**

[Arts Midwest Conference](#)

*Arts Midwest*

**September 17 - 20**

[Upcoming online learning workshops for artists](#)

*Creative Capital*

**Various**

[National Endowment for the Arts Announces Guidelines Available for Fiscal Year 2015 Funding Programs](#)

*National Endowment for the Arts*

**Deadlines: Various**

[VSA Artist Opportunities](#)

*The Kennedy Center*

**Deadlines: Various**

## **IN THE NEWS**

### **Visual Arts/Museums**

[Back to the future: New museum chief Dennis Kois comes home](#)

*Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*

[Kohler brings artists to factory to learn, inspire](#)

*Worcester Telegram & Gazette*

[Unique vehicle designed to prevent drunken driving wins national advertising award](#)  
*La Crosse Tribune*

[Consequential Design](#)  
*Art Works | National Endowment for the Arts*

[Guest Post by Nora Grant: Lessons from A Year of Pop Up Museums](#)  
*Museum 2.0*

## **Arts and Creativity in Education**

[Lac Du Flambeau Students Launch Birch Bark Canoe](#)  
*WJJQ*

[Three Wauwatosa schools place in Destination Imagination global competition](#)  
*Wauwatosa Now*

[Middle school photographer places in state competition](#)  
*Polk County Sun*

[Grading MPS superintendent Thornton](#)  
*OnMilwaukee.com*

## **Community Arts**

[G. Lane Ware worked to build Wausau community: Our View](#)  
*Wausau Daily Herald*

[Women's Fund seeks art for book cover, luncheon](#)  
*Door County Advocate*  
**Deadline: June 25**

[Madison activist, freelance photographer captures historic day for 25 couples](#)  
*The Capital Times*

[As Park East marketing starts, new arena is not guaranteed there](#)  
*Milwaukee Business Journal*

## **Folk Arts/Folklife**

[Milwaukee Is Indian Country](#)  
*News | Shepherd Express*

## **Literary/Libraries**

[Library board to study background checks for volunteers](#)  
*Wisconsin Dells Events*

[Walker announces 'Read to Lead' grant to Literacy Council](#)  
*Oshkosh Northwestern*

[Youngsters SO EXCITED to meet Micah Hyde! Packers cornerback reads to children](#)  
*Fox6Now.com*

[Dogs help children to read in Mosinee](#)  
*WAOW*

## **Performing Arts**

### **Music**

[Debating the Seattle Orchestra's Foray With Sir Mix-A-Lot](#)  
*The New York Times*

[Free Music, at Least While It Lasts](#)  
*The New York Times*

### **Theater**

[Tony Awards: CBS Telecast Exposure Brings Hefty Box-Office Boost](#)  
*The Hollywood Reporter*

Also

[Tony Awards Face Criticism Over 'In Memoriam' Segment](#)  
*The New York Times*

## **Other**

[Data That Matters: Three Metrics to Grow Audience Relationships](#)  
*Arts Management and Technology Lab | Carnegie Mellon University*

[Develop Allies](#)  
*Engaging Matters | ArtsJournal.com*

## **WHEN YOU GO**

Have you added your event to [Portal Wisconsin?](#)

## **Visual Arts/Museums**

[Reception for ceramic artist Butler at Kick](#)  
*Door County Advocate*  
**June 12**

New artists featured at Greco open house

*Door County Advocate*

**June 12**

Culinary expert taking history of the diner to Harley museum

*Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*

**June 13**

Lily Bay artisans give demonstrations at open house

*Door County Advocate*

**June 13 - 15**

Lighthouses featured in DCAL exhibit

*Door County Advocate*

**June 14 – 20**

Edgewood opens Exhibit II with June 14 reception

*Door County Advocate*

**June 14 – July 2**

Uzbek-inspired pastels by Place at Base Camp

*Door County Advocate*

**June 15 – August 15**

Quilt presentation coming

*Reedsburg Times-Press*

**June 28 - 29**

Visions by Jenny Lee photo studio opens in Greenwood

*Wisconsin Rapids Daily Tribune*

**Ongoing**

## **Arts and Creativity in Education**

Rockley Family Foundation piano and instrument sale coming to Wisconsin Lutheran College

*Wauwatosa Now*

**June 20 - 22**

## **Community Arts**

Civil War traveling exhibit on display at Gundersen

*WKBT News8000.com*

**Through July 19**

Free Tickets! Also, Coming Soon to TSW June 11-14

*Tom Strini Writes*

**June 11 - 14**

Open World Program bringing Kazakhstan leaders to Wausau  
*Wausau Daily Herald*  
**From June 22**

## **Literary/Libraries**

Visit the book sale  
*Juneau County Star-Times*  
**Through June 21**

Library program features Cooper's Craft and history  
*Merrill Foto News*  
**June 26**

Civil War theater program at Racine Public Library June 18  
*Racine Journal Times*  
**June 18**

## **Media Arts**

Manitowoc 10 cinema opens Thursday  
*Manitowoc Herald Times Reporter*  
**June 12**

## **Performing Arts**

### **Music**

PianoArts puts spotlight on Milwaukee and the importance of arts  
*Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*  
**June 11**

New songs, lots of live music at Steel Bridge Songfest  
*Door County Advocate*  
**June 12 - 15**

June 13 gala opens Midsummer's Music season  
*Door County Advocate*  
**June 13; season**

Classical music: A FREE Cello Choir concert will take place this Saturday night at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. It features new music and works by Villa-Lobos, Francis Poulenc, J.S. Bach, Cesar Franck, Tchaikovsky and others. Plus, hear a clip of the Fusions Continuum art music concert with cello and oud to promote understanding and peace between Israelis and Arabs.  
*The Well-Tempered Ear*  
**June 14**

## Presenting

Music & More continues June 12 at First Presbyterian

*Racine Journal Times*

**June 12**

Bluegrass camp includes Fairland public concert

*Door County Advocate*

**June 14**

'Back to the land' community gathering slated June 22

*La Crosse Tribune*

**June 22**

## Theater

Storytelling takes the stage for special event

*Door County Advocate*

**June 15**

Wisconsin's American Players Theatre Presents Shakespeare in the Forest,

Chekhov Under the Stars

*Classicalite*

**Season**

## OPPORTUNITIES

**NEW** Grammy Foundation Accepting Letters of Inquiry for Grants in Music Research and Preservation Projects

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: October 1 (Letters of Inquiry)**

Digital Projects for the Public

*National Endowment for the Humanities*

**Deadline: June 11**

Doris Duke Charitable Foundation Accepting 'Electronic Postcards' for Building Bridges Program

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: June 27**

Harpo Foundation Invites Applications for 2014 Emerging Artists Fellowship

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: July 5**

The 4th Annual, International Commitment to Excellence in Art & Sport: A Fine Art Competition and Exhibit



*National Art Museum of Sport*

**Deadline: July 7**

Open Society Foundations Invites Applications for Social Justice Photography Projects

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: July 8**

Stage Directors and Choreographers Foundation Accepting Applications for 2014-15 Observers Program

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: July 31**

William H. Johnson Foundation for the Arts Invites Applications From African-American Artists

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: September 15**

National Art Education Foundation Seeks Applications for 2014 Art Educator Grants

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: October 1**

Fitch Charitable Foundation Offers Project Grants to Mid-Career Professionals in Preservation and Related Fields

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: October 15**

Chamber Music America Invites Applications for Residency Partnership Grants

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: October 31**

American Academy in Rome Invites Applications for Rome Prize

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: November 1**

Shubert Foundation Announces 2013-14 Grant Guidelines for Support of Theater and Dance

*PND | Foundation Center*

**Deadline: Various**

VSA Artist Opportunities

*The Kennedy Center*

**Deadlines: Various**

Princess Grace Foundation Invites Applications for Emerging Artist Award Programs in Theater, Dance, and Film

*Princess Grace Foundation, Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: Various**

Calling all furniture makers & artisans!

*KL Communications Invites Furniture Makers & Artisans to Exhibit in the 2011 Fine Furnishings & Fine Craft Shows*

**No deadline**

New England Foundation for the Arts Accepting Proposals for Native American Artist Exchange Projects

*PND | Foundation Center*

**Deadline: Open**

Surdna Foundation Accepting Letters of Inquiry for Youth Artistic and Cultural Programs

*PND | Foundation Center*

**Deadline: Open | Letters of Inquiry**

Fender Music Foundation Announces Guitar Donations to Nonprofit Music Instruction Programs

*PND | Foundation Center*

**Deadline: Open**

Center for Cultural Innovation Seeks Applications for NextGen Arts Professional Development Grants

*PND | Foundation Center*

**Deadline: Rolling**

The less art kids get, the more it shows.

Are yours getting enough?

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